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**PATENT**

Case No.

54570US002

**Amendment Transmittal Letter**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

**First Named**

Inventor: George, Clayton A.

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Title: CURABLE MECHANICAL FASTENERS

☒ Enclosed is an amendment in the above-identified application.

☒ The fee for this amendment is computed as follows:

Claims As Amended							(7) Additional Fee
(1)	(2) Claims Remaining After Amendment	(3)	(4) Highest No. Previously Paid For	(5) Present Extra	(6) Rate		
Total Claims	26	Minus	** 26	= 0	x \$18.00	=	\$0.
Independent Claims	2	Minus	*** 3	= 0	x \$84.00	=	\$0.
Additional fee for filing one or more multiple dependent claims, if no such fee has been previously paid					\$280.00		\$0.
Total Additional Fee For This Amendment →							\$0.

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Respectfully submitted,

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